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Gentlemen:

As was discussed between Patricia Corbetta of the Colorado Department of Health (CDH) and Scott Grace, U.S. Department of Energy Rocky Flats Office (DOE-RFO) on April 18, 1990, we are requesting an extension for submittal of draft proposed Resource Conservation and Recovery Act Facility Investigation/Remedial Investigation - Feasibility Study (RFI/RIFS) Workplans for Operable Unit No. 3. This extension request includes the Solar Ponds (SWMU 101), the West Spray Field (SWMU 168), and the Original Process Waste Lines (SWMU 121) Workplans which are due April 26, 1990, as well as the Present Landfill (SWMU 114), and the Other Outside Closures due May 7 and July 5, 1990, respectively. These due dates were negotiated as part of the draft Interagency Agreement (IAG). Although the IAG is in draft form, the extension is being requested pursuant to the Part 42 of the draft IAG whereby extensions can be made based on good cause.

We are requesting a 10 working day extension for submittal of these Workplans. The reason for request for extension concerns additional time needed for DOE staff and management review and finalization. Timeframes for DOE staff and management review and finalization were not part of the schedules negotiated in the draft IAG. However, in the best interest of all parties, we feel additional review time is required prior to submission to the regulatory agencies. This will be a subject of discussions for finalization of the IAG.

An extension of 10 working days for OU3 Workplans will change the April 26, 1990, due date to May 10, 1990. The May 7 and July 5, 1990, due dates will change to May 21 and July 19, 1990, respectively.

Should you have any questions, please contact me or Scott Grace of my staff at 966-7199.

Sincerely,

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